



ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Empanelment of Agricultural machinery implemented during the year 2012-13-Distributed under National Food Security Mission and Cereal Development programme – Refund of security Deposit – Sanctioned - Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE (AP4) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.48

Dated :21.02.2020

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2050,
விகாரி வருடம், மாசி 9

Read :

From the Director of Agriculture, Letter No.P&M3/101647/
2012, dated 27.6.2019.

ORDER:-

In the letter read above, the Director of Agriculture has stated that the tender notification for the empanelment of machinery / equipment was called for during the year 2012-13 and 14 firms were approved for supply and distribution of power weeders, Pumpsets, Zero till Seed drills, Tractors drawn Groundnut seed drills, Light traps (NCIPM model) and Rotovators to implement National Food Security Mission and Cereal Development programme.

2. In this regard, the machineries / equipments were supplied by the firms and distributed under subsidy. The National Food Security Mission and Cereal Development programme was completed.

3. As per the tender procedure for empanelment of farm machinery/equipment, agreement was executed by the approved firms with the refundable security for a sum of Rs.50,000/- for each item in the form of Demand Draft / small Saving scrips / irrevocable bank guarantee. Out of 14 approved firms, 3 firms submitted the security deposit in the form of irrevocable Bank guarantee and remaining 11 firms submitted in the form of Demand Draft worth a sum of Rs.6.5 lakh, which was remitted in to the Government account.

4. Out of 14 approved firms, the irrevocable Bank guarantee furnished by 3 firms and the security deposit in the form of Demand Draft furnished by five firms totaling a sum of Rs 3.0 lakh were refunded to the concerned firms after the completion of supply, duly obtaining advanced stamp receipt from the concerned Firm. For the remaining Six firms, the security deposit worth Rs.50,000/- for each

item totaling a sum of Rs 3.50 lakh which was deposited in to the Government account, was not released so far for want of advance stamped receipt from the firms concerned as detailed below:-

S. No	Name of the firm	Name of the Item	Amount (in Rs.)
1.	M/s Fine Trap India 6, Sawar Market, Dattachouk, Yawatmal - Maharashtra.	Light trap	50,000
2	M/s Kirloskar Oil engine Ltd, Nelson Tower, 1st floor, II wing 51, Nelson Manikkam Road, Chennai- 600 029	Pumpset	50,000
3	M/s.Dharti Agro Engineering, Survey No.35, Plot No.6, Near Saurashtra Paper Board Mill, Gondal Road, Shapur (Veraval) Rajkot - Gujarat, India	Tractor drawn seed drill for Ground nut	50,000
4	M/s Rocket Engineering Corporation (P) Ltd, Plot No.D.19, M.I.D.C SHIROLI, Kolhapur- 416122, Maharashtra-India	Pumpset	50,000
5	M/s Beri Udyog (P) Ltd, 100-101, Sector-3 HSI IDC, Karnal Haryana-132001.	Rotovator	50,000
6	M/s Khedut Agro Engineering Plot No. 6, Survey No. 191, Shantidham Society Road, Near Orke Farm, Veraval (Shapar) Dist. Rajkot, GUJARAT	Zero till seed drill	50,000
		Tractor drawn seed drill for Ground nut	50,000

5. The Director of Agriculture has further stated that out of above 6 firms, three firms vide Sl.No. 1, 2 and 6 above have submitted the advance stamped receipt and the bills submitted to Pay and

Accounts Office (East) for release the refundable security deposit amount to the concerned firms were returned stating that the requested refundable security deposit amount of Rs.2,00,000/- has been deposited into the Government account with concurrence of Accountant General as the deposited amount exceeds 4 years and it has been informed that Government order is necessary to release the refundable security deposit amount to the concerned firms.

6. Therefore, the Director of Agriculture has requested the Government to sanction and authorize him to refund a sum of Rs.2,00,000/- towards refundable security deposit to the concerned firms as mentioned at para 9 below.

7. The Government after careful examination have accepted the proposal of the Director of Agriculture and sanction a sum of Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees two lakh only) being the refundable security deposit, in respect of firms mentioned at para.9 below, which were approved for tender to supply and distribution of Power Weeders, Pumpsets, Zero till seed drills, Tractor drawn groundnut seed drills, Light traps (NCIPM model) and Rotovators to implement National Food Security Mission and Cereal Development Programme during the year 2012-2013.

8. The expenditure sanctioned above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"8443-00-Civil Deposit - 103 refund of security Deposit".

(D.P. code: 8443-00-103-AA-0001)

9. The Director of Agriculture is hereby authorized to draw and disburse the amount of Rs.2,00,000/- sanctioned above to the following firms:-

S. No	Name of the firm	Amount (in Rs.)
1.	M/s Fine Trap India 6, Sawar Market, Dattachouk, Yawatmal - Maharashtra.	50,000
2	M/s Kirloskar Oil engine Ltd, Nelson Tower, 1st floor, II wing 51, Nelson Manikkam Road, Chennai- 600 029	50,000
3	M/s Khedut Agro Engineering Plot No. 6, Survey No. 191, Shantidham Society Road, Near Orke Farm, Veraval (Shapar) Dist. Rajkot, GUJARAT	50,000
	Total	2,00,000

10. "This order does not require the concurrence of Finance Department as per G.O.(Ms) No.519, Finance (Salaries) Department, dated 29.09.1997".

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI,
Agricultural Production Commissioner
and Principal Secretary to Government.

To

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5.
The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Chennai-5.
The Commissioner of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business, Chennai-32.
The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering), Chennai-35.
The Principal Accountant General (AAD), Chennai-18.
The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Chennai-18.
The Principal Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai-18.
The Accountant General, Chennai -18.
The Accountant General, Chennai-18 (by name)
The Accountant General (A&E), Chennai-18.
The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai-18.
The Residential Audit Officer, Office of the Principal Accountant General
(Social Sector Audit), Chennai-9.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-8.
The Treasury Officers concerned.
Dr. E.Vadivel, Ph.D., Dean (Retired), Tamil Nadu Agricultural University,
Coimbatore -3. (through the Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5)
The Chief General Manager, National Bank of Agricultural and Rural
Development, Chennai-34.

Copy to:-

The Senior Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner &
Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department, Chennai-9.
The Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.
The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Chennai-9
The Agriculture (OP3) Department, Chennai - 9.(2 Copies)
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Mitigamandhi
25/12/2020
SECTION OFFICER